



MARINE HEAVY HELICOPTER SQUADRON 362

Commanding Officer's

Sexual Assault Prevention and Response (SAPR) Policy



SEXUAL ASSAULT IS A CRIME AND WILL NOT BE TOLERATED!

Sexual assault is a crime and will not be tolerated. Sexual assault is defined as intentional sexual contact, characterized by the use of force, threats, intimidation, and abuse of authority, or sexual conduct that occurs when the victim does not or cannot consent. It is a crime that is not restricted to any gender, race, or age. Marine Corps Order 1752.5A provides guidance and instructions for identifying, reporting, and addressing the issue of sexual assault. Any Ugly Angel, male or female, can be a victim. This command will aggressively investigate all allegations of sexual assault in accordance with the Uniform Code of Military Justice, Marine Corps Orders, Directives and regulations.

If you or someone you know is a victim of sexual assault, I highly encourage you to seek assistance immediately. All Marines are required to report known cases of sexual assault. Please notify any of the following persons: the HMH-362 Uniform Victim Advocate (UVA) Capt Proudfoot at 808-216-0161. Additionally, there is support outside the squadron with the MAG-24 Sexual Assault Response Coordinator (SARC) 1stLt Valdez at 808-257-1402, Marine & Family Services at 808-216-7175, after hours 1-800-342-9647 and medical providers. Victim Advocates are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to help individuals and families who are victims of sexual assault. I assure you will be protected through discrete, caring and unbiased treatment.

Prevention of sexual assault is vital to the well being of every Marine and Sailor in our squadron and across our Corps. Leaders at all levels shall take immediate action to become familiar with the contents of Marine Corps Order 1752.5A and engage our Marines and Sailors on this subject and be involved in their activities. I challenge each leader and individual to accept responsibility for achieving this goal. Our Marines, Sailors, and family members deserve nothing less.

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